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**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, SC 29210

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Re: In the Matter of the Application of Comcast Phone of South Carolina, Inc., For an Amended Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services, For Flexible Rate Structure for Local Exchange Service Offerings First Approved in Docket No. 97-467-C, and For Alternative Regulation First Approved in Docket No. 95-661-C  
**Docket No.: 2005-303-C**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find four Affidavits of Publication and one publication verification in the above referenced proceeding.

Please acknowledge your receipt of this document by file-stamping a copy of this letter and returning the stamped copy to me in the postage pre-paid envelope provided.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

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Lori Reese Patton

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NOTICE OF  
FILING AND HEARING  
DOCKET NO. 2005-303-C**

Comcast Phone of South Carolina, Incorporated ("Comcast Phone") pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-280, the Rules of the South Carolina Public Service Commission ("Commission"), and Section 253 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. § 253, has filed an Application to the Commission to amend its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity previously approved by this Commission by Order Nos. 98-409 and 2004-604 in Docket No. 98-54-C. Comcast Phone request authority to provide local telecommunications service within those portions of the State of South Carolina served by Verizon South, Inc. ("Verizon") and United Telephone Company of the Carolinas ("Sprint") and interexchange services on a statewide basis. Comcast Phone request flexible rate structure of its local exchange service offerings similar to that approved by Order No. 98-165 in Docket No. 97-467-C and alternative regulation approved by Order Nos. 95-1734 and 96-55 in Docket No. 95-661-C, and as modified by Order No. 2001-997 in Docket No. 2000-407-C. Comcast Phone further request, pursuant to R. 103-601(3) of the Rules of the Commission, that the Commission waive application to it of certain rules.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's web site at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov), and is available from Lorie Reese Patton, Esquire, Womble, Carlyle, Sandridge & Rice, PLLC, Suite 3500, One Wachovia Center, 301 South College Street, Charlotte, NC 28202.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, December 5, 2005, before Hearing Examiner David Butler, Esquire in the Commission's Meeting Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

**PLEASE BE ADVISED** that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws - Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a

party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **November 10, 2005** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. **Please refer to Docket No. 2005-303-C.**

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, and Lorie Reese Patton, Esquire, at the above address, on or before **November 10, 2005** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. **Please refer to Docket No. 2005-303-C.**

Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before **November 10, 2005**. **Please refer to Docket No. 2005-303-C.**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:** Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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DOCKET NO. 2005-203-C  
Comcast Phone of South Caroli-  
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**PLEASE BE ADVISED** that pur-  
suant to South Carolina Code of  
Laws, Section 58-280, as  
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Any person who wishes to par-  
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# Morning News

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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Personally appeared before me

Carrie Lloyd

The Legal Clerk for the Morning News, a daily newspaper published in the City of Florence, County of Florence, and the State of South Carolina said that the attached advertisement was published on 10/12

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as shown by the files as said company.

Carrie Lloyd

Sworn and subscribed before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Oct., 2005

Jamie B. Rubin NS  
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Commissions expires: My Commission Expires April 18, 2010

PLEASE BE ADVISED: that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws Section 15-9-20, as amended, the Commission will receive the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

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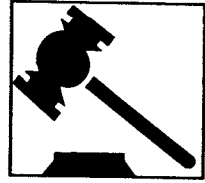
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29201. The Commission's website at [www.scc.gov](http://www.scc.gov) and is available from Lori Reese Patton, Esquire, Womble, Carlye, Sandridge & Rice, P.L.L.C., Suite 1500 One Wachob Center 101 South College Street, Charleston, SC 29403.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: A hearing of the above matter has been scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, December 5, 2005, before Hearing Examiner in the Commission's Hearing Room, 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 1500, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

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Before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared – Gary Wortel, who, after being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is publisher of the Sun Publishing Company, Inc., at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. In the county and state aforesaid: that the above ad(s) was (were) printed and published in said newspaper, on said date(s).

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gary Wortel".

Gary Wortel

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of October 2005.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lisa B. Urban".

Notary Public

My Commission Expires August 7, 2007



THE STATE-RECORD CO., INC.  
Columbia, South Carolina  
publisher of

**The State**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF RICHLAND

Personally appeared before me, Peggy Lawrence, Advertising Sales Support  
Manager of THE STATE, and makes oath that the advertisement,

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Carolina

was inserted in THE STATE, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in  
the City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issues of

October 13, 2005

*Peggy Lawrence*

Subscribed and sworn to before me

on this day October 18, 2005

*Evelyn F. Harrison*

Notary Public

My commission expires  
March 10, 2013

*"Errors- the liability of the publisher on account of errors in  
or omissions from any advertisement will in no way exceed  
the amount of the charge for the space occupied by the item in  
error, and then only for the first incorrect insertion."*



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amend its Certificate of  
Public Convenience and  
Necessity previously  
approved by the Com-  
mission by Order Nos.  
98-409 and 2004-604 in  
Docket No. 98-54-C.  
Comcast Phone request  
authority to provide local  
telecommunications ser-  
vice within those portions  
of the State of South Car-  
olina served by Verizon  
South, Inc. ("Verizon")  
and United Telephone  
Company of the Caroli-  
nas ("Sprint") and  
interexchange services  
on a statewide basis.  
Comcast Phone request  
flexible rate structure of  
its local exchange ser-  
vice offerings similar to  
that approved by Order  
No. 98-165 in Docket No.  
97-467-C and alternative  
regulation approved by  
Order Nos. 95-1734 and  
96-55 in Docket No. 95-  
664-C, and as modified  
by Order No. 2001-997 in  
Docket No. 2000-407-C.  
Comcast Phone further  
request, pursuant to R.  
103-601(3) of the Rules  
of the Commission, that  
the Commission waive  
application to it of certain  
rules.

A copy of the Application  
is on file in the offices of  
the Commission, 101  
Executive Center Drive,  
Columbia, South Caroli-  
na 29210; the Commis-  
sion's web site at  
[www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov), and is  
available from Lorie  
Reese Patton, Esquire,  
Womble, Carlyle, San-  
dridge & Rice, PLLC,  
Suite 3500, One  
Wachovia Center, 301  
South College Street,  
Charlotte, NC 28202.  
**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**  
a hearing on the above  
matter has been sched-  
uled to begin at 11:30  
a.m. on Monday, Decem-  
ber 5, 2005, before Hear-  
ing Examiner David Bul-  
ler, Esquire in the Com-  
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PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws - Section 58-9-288, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before November 10, 2005 and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-303-C.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, and Lori Reese Patton, Esquire, at the above address, on or before November 10, 2005 and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-303-C.

Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before November 10, 2005. Please refer to Docket No. 2005-303-C.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:** Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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